

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

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1. (Amended) An automatic device for trimming and cutting at right angles paper and other graphic and photographic substrates (1) with a series of images (10) [or "copies"] printed thereon and marked by boundary marks (M), comprising:

at least a pair of rollers (2) [for] feeding the substrate,
a first motor (3) [for the] driving the pair of rollers [thereof],
a cutting assembly (7) spaced apart from the pair of rollers,
a second motor (9) [for] driving the [latter] cutting assembly to cut,
a third motor (5) pivoting one of the cutting assembly and the pair of rollers [for bringing] from time to time [into relative] to align [alignment] said cutting assembly (7) and one of said boundary marks (M),

a reading system [suitable] having first and second spaced apart optical sensors (4, 4') [to] that detect one of the [a] boundary [mark] marks (M) between the [copies] images, and
a microprocessor (12) in communication with [for processing the signal from] said reading system and [controlling said] the second motor (9) and the third motor (5), the microprocessor (12) processing a signal from the reading system and controlling the second and third motors (9, 5),

wherein [characterized in that] each [mark] of the boundary marks (M) [consists of] is a preset sequence, stored in said microprocessor (12), of white and black lines extending at least along a whole edge of each of said images (10) oriented at right angles to [the] a feed direction of the substrate[, and in that said reading system consists of a pair of optical sensors (4, 4') located at a distance therebetween smaller than the width of the substrate].

2. (Amended) [A] The device according to claim 1, wherein said cutting assembly (7) has one end and an opposite end and is pivotally mounted at a pivoting point (8, 8') so as to rotate angularly under [the] an action of said third motor (5) [to which it is] connected at the one end in order to get into alignment with one of said [mark] boundary marks (M), said pivoting